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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: RAYBORN, Jerry
Serial No.: 10/667,319
Filed: September 23, 2003
Title: WATER-BASED DRILLING FLUID ADDITIVE
CONTAINING GRAPHITE AND CARRIER
Examiner: Tucker, Philip Art Unit: 1712
Docket: P-0038US

Hon. Commissioner of Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

AMENDMENT

In view of the Official Action dated February 21, 2006 and communications with Examiner Philip Tucker, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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